

**STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF FULTON
CITY OF SOUTH
FULTON**

RESOLUTION NO. 2017-027

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY TO REQUEST
AND ACCEPT DUE COMPENSATION FROM TELEPHONE
COMPANIES OPERATING WITHIN CITY LIMITS**

WHEREAS, the City of South Fulton (“City”) is a municipal corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Georgia;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Act 421 of the 2016 session of the Georgia General Assembly (the “City Charter”), the City of South Fulton incorporated on May 1, 2017;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 7.16(b) of the City Charter, the City provided notice to Fulton County of its intent to collect any tax, fee, assessment, fine or forfeiture, other monies;

WHEREAS, the City considers collecting due compensation from a telephone company utilizing the public rights of way as compensation to the public for the use of the rights of way and a means of promoting the public health, safety, welfare and economic development of the City and to protect public works infrastructure.

THEREFORE, IT IS NOW RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOUTH FULTON, GEORGIA, AS FOLLOWS:

1. Telephone companies operating within City limits pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 46-5-1 shall collect and remit due compensation to the City in an amount and on terms specified by Georgia law; and

2. The Mayor or the Mayor's designated representative is hereby authorized to take any and all actions required to be taken by the City to collect and receive due compensation pursuant to Georgia law.

The foregoing Resolution No. **2017-027** was offered by Councilmember **Willis**, who moved its approval. The motion was seconded by Councilmember **Baker**, and being put to a vote, the result was as follows:

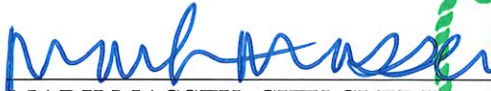
| | AYE | NAY |
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| William “Bill” Edwards, Mayor | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| Catherine Foster Rowell, Mayor Pro Tem | <hr/> √ | <hr/> |
| Carmalitha Lizandra Gumbs | <hr/> √ | <hr/> |
| Helen Zenobia Willis | <hr/> √ | <hr/> |
| Gertrude Naeema Gilyard | <hr/> √ | <hr/> |
| Rosie Jackson | <hr/> √ | <hr/> |
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| Mark Baker | <hr/> √ | <hr/> |

THIS RESOLUTION adopted this 13th day of June 2017. CITY OF
SOUTH FULTON, GEORGIA



WILLIAM "BILL" EDWARDS, MAYOR

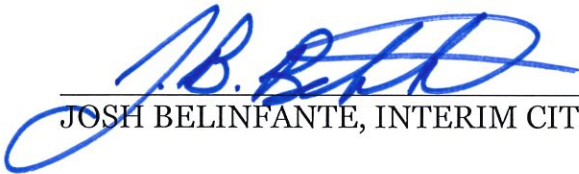
ATTEST:



MARK MASSEY, CITY CLERK



APPROVED AS TO FORM:



JOSH BELINFANTE, INTERIM CITY ATTORNEY